

HOUSE BILL No. 1637

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: None (noncode).

Synopsis: Appropriation for public broadcasting. Appropriates \$20,000,000 to the Indiana public broadcasting stations over two years for: (1) public radio grants to eight public radio stations; (2) public television grants to nine public television stations; and (3) conversion of nine public television stations to digital broadcasting.

Effective: July 1, 2001.

Kuzman, Harris

January 17, 2001, read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

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Introduced

First Regular Session 112th General Assembly (2001)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2000 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning public broadcasting and to make an appropriation.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001] (a) There is
2 appropriated twelve million dollars (\$12,000,000) to Indiana Public
3 Broadcasting Stations, Inc., from the build Indiana fund for
4 conversion of nine (9) public television stations to digital
5 broadcasting and for public radio grants for the period beginning
6 July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2003.

7 (b) This SECTION expires June 30, 2003.

8 SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001] (a) There is
9 appropriated three million six hundred thousand dollars
10 (\$3,600,000) from the state general fund to Indiana Public
11 Broadcasting Stations, Inc., for public television grants to be
12 distributed equally among nine (9) public television stations for the
13 period beginning July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2002.

14 (b) This SECTION expires June 30, 2002.

15 SECTION 3. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001] (a) There is
16 appropriated three million six hundred thousand dollars
17 (\$3,600,000) from the state general fund to Indiana Public



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1 Broadcasting Stations, Inc., for public television grants to be
2 distributed equally among nine (9) public television stations for the
3 period beginning July 1, 2002, and ending June 30, 2003.

4 (b) This SECTION expires June 30, 2003.

5 SECTION 4. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001] (a) There is
6 appropriated four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000) from the
7 state general fund to Indiana Public Broadcasting Stations, Inc.,
8 for public radio grants to be distributed equally among eight (8)
9 public radio stations for the period beginning July 1, 2001, and
10 ending June 30, 2002.

11 (b) This SECTION expires June 30, 2002.

12 SECTION 5. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001] (a) There is
13 appropriated four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000) from the
14 state general fund to Indiana Public Broadcasting Stations, Inc.,
15 for public radio grants to be distributed equally among eight (8)
16 public radio stations for the period beginning July 1, 2002, and
17 ending June 30, 2003.

18 (b) This SECTION expires June 30, 2003.

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